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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings

of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

Claim 1. (Currently amended) Pressurized container containing a

mixture of disinfectants or biocides selected from chlorine gas or

compounds capable of developing active chlorine and carbon dioxide

in the form of a vapour, liquid/vapour mixture or supercritical

fluid.

Claim 2. (Cancelled)

Claim 3. (Currently amended) Container as claimed in claim $\frac{1}{2}$, in

which the compounds capable of developing active chlorine are

alkali or alkaline-earth hypochlorites.

Claim 4. (Currently amended) Container as claimed in claim $\frac{1}{2}$, in

which the container contains a desiccant anhydrous salt.

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Claim 5. (Previously amended) Container as claimed in claim 1, which is suitable for delivery and metering in a continuous or discontinuous controlled manner.

Claim 6. (Previously amended) Container as claimed in claim 1, which is suitable for delivering a single dose.

Claim 7. (Previously amended) Container as claimed in claim 6, in the form of canisters, metal cartridges, or vials.

Claim 8. (Previously amended) Container as claimed in claim 1, suitable for delivering multiple doses.

Claim 9. (Original) Container as claimed in claim 8, in the form of cylinders or ampoules or tanks fitted with a sealed septum and/or a metering device.

Claim 10. (Previously amended) Container as claimed in claim 1, in which the mixture is in semifluid, paste, gel or solid form.